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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:  
Roger C. Laska

Serial No.: 10/658,104

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Title: TRAILER COUPLER BUMPER

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Group Art Unit 3611

**LETTER**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office action of September 24, 2004, applicant elects species 111 of the trailer coupler bumper identified in Figures 21-30.

Claims 1-6, 11-18, 23 and 24 read on the trailer coupler bumper shown in Figures 21-30 and described in the specification.

Claims 1-6, 11-18, 23 and 24 are also generic to species 1, 11 and 111 shown in Figures 1 to 10, 11 to 20 and 21 to 30.

An examination for this application is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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